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OSI - COUNTERINTELLIGENCE COURSE

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[REDACTED] that the formerly projected OSI Course, which had been under discussion has now been decided upon as being a requirement. This decision was reached between Mr. Baird and [REDACTED] (CI Staff).

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A glance at current course schedules indicates that to implement this program (per memo - three three-week increments for approx 15 case officers and handling agents within the next six months) it may be necessary to cancel one or (more?) CI Fam Courses, but the CI Ops Course is not to be tampered with. Based upon this [REDACTED] appointed [REDACTED] 25X1A9a Project Officer for the first running of the Course, with [REDACTED] 25X1A9a providing guidance and assistance where possible without conflicting with the CI Ops Course upcoming on 6 Jan).

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Schedules indicate tentatively that courses should be tentatively fixed for:

- (1) (tentative) - Mid-February 1964
- (2) 4-22 May 1964
- (3) 6-23 July 1964

The above schedule provides the possibility of keeping CI/Ops courses in being, and fits the (2) and (3) courses between scheduled runnings of CI Fam 41 and 42.

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[REDACTED] said that the facilities of the following may be called upon:

- Covert Training - for problems etc, including surveillance facilities equipment, etc.
- TSD - Technical Matters
- ~~Security~~ OS - countermeasures
- Tradecraft Subjects may be split between Covert Training and [REDACTED] participation etc)

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[REDACTED] will firm up the place at which the instruction may be held - at least see if, for convenience, etc, the instruction may be held at Broyhill. Some matters were discussed of cover, security, etc. Generally indicated that the problem is not the exposure to the OSI personnel, but reaction from other members of the Staff DD/P.

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 EXT BYND 6 YRS BY [REDACTED]
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[redacted] indicated that liaison on these matters will have to be initiated with [redacted] as the king pin. He pointed out that this must also be discussed with [redacted], and that this should be done as early as possible, but not before gathering together the viewpoints and general background held by the CI Staff.

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In the discussion between [redacted] the problem of evaluation of the students came up and all concerned indicated a hesitancy to evaluate personnel of other agencies. [redacted] suggested that OSI, as its avowed purpose is to prepare an instructor cadre, should provide an instruction colleague for the course, and if evaluations are required, that OSI officer should provide the evaluations. General concurrence as being worth discussing.

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While on this subject, [redacted] suggested that in connection with this project, he understood that it had once been suggested that the OSI personnel be handled as Staff employees, INCLUDING POLYGRAPH. This should be explored.

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[redacted] also pointed out that as OSI's avowed purpose is to prepare an instruction cadre, considerable caution should be instituted re the materials used in instruction, as the possibility exists that this will be further used by OSI in its instruction.

General problems for the future are:

- a. Semantics of the OSI request
- b. The support to be obtained ~~booked~~ from CI Staff re instruction. (this includes the use of [redacted] FE/ [redacted] 25X1A9a personnel re briefings on hostile services.
- c. The level of instruction.

Current immediate objectives:

1. Firm up dates.
2. Prepare a curriculum
3. Gather together support elements applicable to the curriculum.

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To begin action, [redacted] to inform her that the job was back on the track and she confirmed that she would provide the contact with Lt. Col. Mann.

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[redacted] office at 1545 hrs, and discovered that [redacted] will not be back in his office until 26 or 27 December. He also called [redacted] Office and discovered that [redacted] will be available on 23 Dec in the p.m., and [redacted] 25X1A9a X1A9a

Agreed Activities?
Spec (Do) Cases?

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